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1. ☒ The amendment filed on 04 November 2005 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:
- a) ☐ entered.
 - b) ☒ entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.
 - c) ☐ disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.
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 - d) ☐ disapproved. See explanation below.
 - e) ☐ entered in part. See explanation below.

Information Disclosure Statement

The references listed on the Information Disclosure Statement filed October 30, 2003 have not been considered because these references were considered in the December 27, 2004 PTO-1449.

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